



## SOUTHSIDE DOCTORS IN FALL SESSION

A Large Delegation to Meet in  
Emporia On Tues-  
day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
EMPORIA, VA., September 2.—The fall  
session of the Southside Virginia Medical  
Association will be held in Emporia  
next Tuesday.

A large delegation of doctors from  
Prince George, Surry, Sussex, Southam-  
pton, Greensville and Brunswick counties  
will be in attendance, and from present  
indications, this meeting will prove the  
most enjoyable in the history of the  
society.

A most interesting programme has been  
arranged for the occasion, while con-  
tributors to medical science will be pre-  
sented from Richmond, Norfolk and other  
Virginia cities, and speak before the  
body on special subjects of interest to  
medical men.

An enjoyable feature of the convention  
will be a banquet given by the mem-  
bers of the local profession. Many at-  
tractive and entertaining speakers in and  
out of the profession will be heard upon  
the occasion. Among those who will  
speak are Dr. H. S. Powell, of Bruns-  
wick; E. Buford, of Lawrenceville; E. C.  
Palmer, E. P. Toomey, Dr. M. S. French,  
B. L. Taylor, W. N. Brown, W. M.  
Powell, Dr. J. T. Parker, Dr. H. B. Mac-  
donald, of Emporia; Dr. R. H. Wallace,  
of Disputanta, and others.

The toastmaster will be Dr. L. Lofton,  
of Emporia.

The visiting doctors will be the re-  
cipients of many courtesies by Emporians  
while guests of the town.

## RAPIDAN RIPPLES

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RAPIDAN, VA., September 2.—Mrs.  
J. W. Ruthford, of Henrico, Va., is  
the guest of Mrs. J. D. Hamilton.

Mr. E. M. Nugent, of Savannah, Ga.,  
is visiting Captain John Tallaferra at  
Spring Vale.

Mrs. B. F. Brown and daughter, little  
Miss Louise Brown, have returned from  
a pleasant visit to friends in Culpeper.

Mr. C. W. Moore spent Saturday and  
Sunday with friends in Culpeper.

Mrs. O. P. Loving has returned from  
a trip to Oak Ridge, Va.

Mrs. S. A. Carpenter and little daugh-  
ter, Ellen Bijou, left Thursday to spend  
some time with relatives at Brandy, Va.

Mrs. J. A. Clark and daughter, Miss  
Genevieve Clark, who spent the summer  
with Mrs. O. P. Loving, returned Tues-  
day to Pittsburg, Pa.

Miss Bertha Hille, of Baltimore, Md.,  
is visiting at Mr. William G. Taylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lohr and little  
daughter, Helen Joyce, of Radiant, have  
been recent visitors at Mr. J. Wallace  
Jacobs.

Mrs. John W. Lamon, of Culpeper, is  
staying at the home of her uncle, Mr.  
C. W. Moore.

Miss Mildred Croft has returned from  
a long stay with friends in Washing-  
ton, D. C.

Miss Fannie Smith and nephew, Mas-  
ter Clarence Smith, of Hinton, W. Va.,  
are spending some time with Mrs. M. L.  
Armentrout.

Misses Clara and Marena Morris have  
returned to their home in Culpeper af-  
ter a visit to Misses Lullie and Lizzie  
Jacobson.

Mrs. John Scott, who has been visit-  
ing her sister, Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, has  
been called to the bedside of her brother,  
Mr. William Hamilton, who is very ill  
at his home at Remington, Va.

Dr. M. K. Corbin and son, who have  
been staying at Spring Vale, the past  
week, have returned to Savannah, Ga.

Miss Addie Tapp, who has been visit-  
ing Mrs. R. L. Lohr, has returned to  
her home at Uno, Va.

Dr. L. Myers, of Nebraska, is on a  
visit to his wife, who is spending the  
summer with her uncle, Captain John  
Tallaferra.

There was an enjoyable picnic given  
by Nemo Sunday school on Belmont Hill,  
near Rapidan, Wednesday, August 24th.

At 11 o'clock a large crowd had as-  
sembled and they did not take their depar-  
ture until late in the afternoon.

A pleasant feature of the day was a talk  
by Rev. Carl S. Matthews. The grounds  
were the best that could be had.

The eminence afforded a grand  
view of the country around. People from  
a distance attended. The day was an  
ideal one.

Henry Long, an old colored man, drop-  
ped dead of heart trouble on Sunday  
past 27th. He was an excellent servant  
and will be greatly missed by all in  
this community.

## PETERSBURG SOCIETY

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PETERSBURG, VA., September 2.—One  
of the most interesting baseball games  
of the season was the one played by the  
Farmville team and Riverside Club's  
team. It was witnessed by a large and  
most enthusiastic crowd. There was fine  
playing on both sides. The Riverside  
Club won by the score of 7 to 4 in a  
close game. Holden's pitching at first  
base was one of the features of the  
game. Cox, who did the twirling for  
the visitors, pitched an excellent game.

Miss Mary Barnard, of Carr, of Ron-  
oke, is the guest of Miss Bailey, of  
Liberty Street. Miss Carr has a very  
beautiful voice. She sang Millard's "Ave  
Maria" from Cavalleria Rusticana at the  
Church Sunday morning, and the "Ave  
Maria" from Cavalleria Rusticana at the  
Market Street Methodist Church on Sun-  
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William Jones, Dunn Marlin, Beale Davis  
and Mr. Gammon.

Miss Quimby, of Norfolk, is visiting  
Mrs. Vaughan Jones, on Washington  
Street.

## Aids in School Work.

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much in the past history of New England.

## ACADEMY—ONE SOLID WEEK

MONDAY, Mat. and Night. **HUMAN HEARTS.**  
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TUESDAY, Night Only. **EUGENIE BLAIR**  
IN IBSEN'S GREAT PLAY,  
"A DOLL'S HOUSE."  
Prices, . . . . . 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.50.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ONLY.  
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THURSDAY, Mat. and Night. **Hoyt's "A BUNCH OF KEYS."**  
REGULAR PRICES.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Saturday Matinee.  
**PETE BAKER,** Favorite German  
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"Legend of the Catskills."  
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## At the Academy.

Monday, matinee and night—"Human  
Hearts."  
Tuesday—Eugenie Blair in "A Doll's  
House."

Wednesday—"The Fortune Teller."  
Thursday, matinee and night—Hoyt's  
"A Bunch of Keys."

Friday and Saturday, matinee and night—  
Pete Baker in "The Legend of the Cat-  
skills."

## At the Bijou.

All the week, with matinee Monday,  
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—Mur-  
ray and Mack in "Around the Town."

There will be something on at the  
Academy every night this week, and at  
three matinees, while the Bijou opens its  
doors for the season with Murray and  
Mack, in a new piece entitled "Around  
the Town." This is the first time these  
comedians have appeared here at popular  
prices. There will be four matinees at  
the Bijou during the week.

"Human Hearts," a melodrama, that  
is as popular among the patrons of plays  
of this type as "The Old Homestead" is  
among the lovers of the pastoral drama.  
will be seen at the Academy at two per-  
formances to-morrow. This play is the  
greatest of all the dramas written by  
Hal Reid, and has lived longer than any  
of them. The piece is a melodrama, pure  
and simple, with all the elements that  
are deemed essential in the make-up of plays  
which must have the villain and the  
low comedian in order to be entirely suc-  
cessful. "Human Hearts" has both. The  
play is so familiar here that it needs no  
description. Most theatre-goers know its  
plot by heart, but nevertheless those who  
admire this play no season after season,  
and allow their comrades to be won-  
dered upon by the sort of sentiment with which  
the drama deals.

## "A Doll's House."

In selecting "A Doll's House" as the  
vehicle for her present tour, Miss Blair  
not only accedes to the demands of the  
public for the works of the great Nor-  
wegian, but fulfills a cherished ambition,  
namely, the presentation of her charac-  
terization of Nora Helmer, the most in-  
tensely human of all of Ibsen's heroines.

Miss Blair brings to the portrayal of  
the part not only her strong enthusiasm  
but a broad and intimate knowledge of  
the works of the great Northman, and  
a particular and acute possession of the  
author's conceptions and ideas. Miss Blair  
has for years been a devoted student of  
Ibsen, and her delineation of the charac-  
ter of Nora will doubtless prove a re-  
velation to the many admirers of her  
work in emotional roles. Her character  
painting of the development of Nora Hel-  
mer, whose personality has been sketched  
and stunted by the brutal egotism of  
a father and husband, by whom her na-  
ture is misunderstood, is a remarkable  
dramatic achievement, and the lights and  
shades she produces through the entire  
picture are as subtle and convincing as  
they are artistic and delightful.

In mounting the play Miss Blair has  
been to great pains to follow minutely  
the conception of the author, with the  
result of retaining the true Ibsen atmos-  
phere. Miss Blair is supported by an  
exceptionally clever company, the mem-  
bers of which have been selected be-  
cause of their knowledge of Ibsen and  
special fitness for their respective roles.

The cast includes Edmund Elton as lead-  
ing man, an actor of convincing methods  
and more than ordinary force. The play  
will be seen Tuesday night at the Academy.

The Fortune Teller.

When Alice Neilson produced "The For-  
tune Teller," one of the brightest and  
most tuneful comic operas the American  
stage has seen in the past quarter of a  
century, she stopped at nothing in the  
matter of expense to make the produc-  
tion beautiful and it could be made.

This entire production is being present-  
ed this season under the direction of  
Milton and Sargent Aborn, who, with  
what is reported to be a most excellent  
company, are duplicating the original  
success made by Miss Neilson with this  
beautiful opera. The organization in-  
cludes a selected cast, headed by Grace  
Orr Myers, who is the only American  
prima donna who has yet been able to  
follow in Miss Neilson's footsteps suc-  
cessfully. Miss Myers is one of the young-  
est prima donnas on the American stage,  
her first big success a couple of years  
ago being as soprano with the Frank  
Daniels Company. Miss Myers' efforts  
are most satisfactorily supported by the  
work of clever comedians and an ex-  
cellent cast all through, surrounded by  
a big beauty chorus, whose splendid  
vocal work in ensemble numbers is a  
special feature. As to "The Fortune  
Teller" as an opera, it is conceded to be  
one of the classics of American comic

opera, and is probably the most meritor-  
ious, as well as the most popular, of the  
compositions of the famous band  
master, Victor Herbert. Harry B. Smith  
supplied the book of the opera, which  
is all that can be desired in the way of  
a bright, entertaining vehicle for the  
talents of a clever cast. "The Fortune  
Teller" will be seen at the Academy of  
Music Wednesday.

Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys."

When taken into consideration that in  
the earlier stages of "A Bunch of Keys"  
career, this marvellously successful Hoyt  
creation enjoyed the unprecedented dis-  
tinction of having entertained New York  
audiences for three hundred and fifty  
times, some approximate estimate of its  
popularity may easily be conjectured, but  
when in addition to this glorious exhibi-  
tion of vitality, can be enumerated thou-  
sands upon thousands of performances of  
equal evidence, there can be no longer  
any doubt about its thorough efficiency,  
as an offering, well suited to the popular  
demand for something calculated to bring

color and quickness of action. They  
have surrounded themselves with a  
very capable company, carrying  
every bit of scenery that they use in  
the production and an expert electrician,  
who has made a very close study with the  
light effects, and many pretty scenes are  
promised.

Foremost in the cast this season may  
be mentioned Burness Van Zube, of  
grand opera fame, who will probably be  
remembered by local theatre-goers as hav-  
ing been principal soloist with Sousa  
and his band for two seasons. The Troc-  
adero quartette, four young men who have  
made themselves quite valuable in vaude-  
ville, will introduce their specialty in the  
second act. Miss Fanny Sandford will  
be seen in the character part of the  
epitaph. Gladys Van, a bright-faced  
little person, with nimble feet, will be  
seen as the soubrette. Walter Dale will  
play the juvenile.

Others in the cast are Joe Birnes, Wal-  
ter S. Brower, Stephen Prudeaux and  
J. L. Sample. The background of this  
picture will have the usual framing of a  
big male and female chorus. Many musi-

cal novelties will be introduced, among  
them the automobile chorus at the open-  
ing of the show, and the Buster Brown's  
in the third act. For this last named  
number, six of the girls are made up as  
babies and six as Buster Brownies. The  
babies are seated in swings, which the  
Buster Brownies push. During the action  
of the song these swings go higher and  
higher until they get to winging out  
over the orchestra. With the lights in  
the theatre all out, and the many hun-  
dreds of colored lights on the swings,  
one can imagine that the effect is both  
startling and beautiful.

SCOTTSVILLE, VA.

SCOTTSVILLE, VA., September 2.—A  
very enjoyable dance was given at the  
Town Hall Tuesday night by the young  
men of the village to their lady friends.  
The committee on invitations was com-  
posed of the following young gentlemen:  
Messrs. Charles Dorrier, Francis Harris,  
and Marion Pitts. Chamberlains: Messrs.  
N. T. Schuler and Jackson Beal. Re-  
freshments of cake and cream were  
served and violin, guitar and banjo fur-  
nished music for the dancers, who re-  
mained until 4 o'clock Wednesday morn-  
ing. Those present were Mrs. Douglas  
Taylor, of Richmond; Misses Fannie  
Kent, Mary Nicholas, Reavis Barrett,  
Lucile and Marjette Powers, Sallie and  
Margaret Leckie, Marie Leahy, of Rich-  
mond; Marjorie Harris, Mae Beal, Moylen  
Moon, Bruce, Lizzie and Fannie Briggs,  
Misses Derby, Bates, Woodson and Bur-  
gess, of Richmond; Dimple Blair, Nora  
Dillard, Mrs. William Briggs, Mr. and  
Mrs. J. V. Pereira, Mr. and Mrs. N. T.  
Schuler, Mrs. Jackson Beal, Mr. and  
Mrs. Clarence White, Dr. and Mrs. J. P.  
Blair, Messrs. Dorrier, Charles and Ben  
Dorrier, S. H. Gaunt, Lindsay and Tom  
Leckie, Reeve Nicholas, H. G. Harris,  
Francis Harris and C. H. Harris, Jr.,  
Biedose Beal, Jack Beal, Jr., Irvine, of  
Charlottesville; Irving, of Fluvanna; Bur-  
gess, Jeff, Durrett, Russell Gordon, Blair  
and Odell White, Marion Pitts, Barrett,  
T. E. Clements, Carl Phillips, Fletcher  
Hammer, Wilfred and Malcolm Adams  
and M. Sutherland.

The tennis tournament on Monday ex-  
terminated between the Scottsville and How-  
ardsville teams was a brilliant victory  
for Scottsville. The mixed doubles played  
by Logan Bruns and Mrs. Forsythe, of  
Howardsville, against Charles Dorrier  
and Miss Nora Dillard, of Scottsville,  
were won by the Scottsville team by a  
score of 6-1, 6-4. The gentlemen's doubles,  
played by Logan Bruns and Mr. Brady,  
of the Howardsville team, and Charles  
Dorrier and Francis Harris, of the  
Scottsville team, was called on account  
of darkness, with an even score.

Mrs. G. Mason Eiland and son, Allen,  
Miss Emily Allen and little Miss Ruffin,  
of Norfolk, are guests at Chester.

Miss Mary Pitts is visiting friends in  
Portsmouth.

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the milk of human kindness to the sur-  
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The present season's revision, and en-  
largement gives to it that importance in  
novel feature, which makes "A Bunch  
of Keys" the august power it is in the  
field of fun and music blending.

This noteworthy specimen of genuine  
success is to be seen at the Academy  
Thursday matinee and night.

Legend of the Catskills.

"The Legend of the Catskills," which  
appears at the Academy Friday and  
Saturday, with matinee Saturday, with  
Pete Baker as the star, offers unusual at-  
tractions to those who classify them-  
selves among the lovers of lyric comedy  
drama. The play itself tells the old  
story of "Rip" in a new way that in-  
terest the interest, and to the person-  
ality of "Rip," Pete Baker brings all  
the talents that have earned him a  
fore rank among singing comedians. A  
notable feature will be the singing of the  
Hudson quartette, composed of Misses  
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